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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in response to the Office Action dated September 8, 2005.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including new drawing Figure 2 is attached following page 5 of this paper.